

MASS DEDICATIONS



Jan. 13
5:00pm.....For Brian Aguirre

Jan. 14
8:30am.....In memory of Pam Aubry
10:00am.....For Emmaus Parish
10:30am..... In memory
of Octavio Bermudez
12:15pm.....In memory of Alfredo Eduardo
5:00pm..... In memory of Ray Darby

Jan. 15
8:30am..... In memory of Arlene Santos

Jan. 16
8:30am..... For The Sanctity of Human Life

Jan. 17
5:30am..... For Brent Brabham

Jan. 18
8:30am..... In memory of Kenneth Cascio
9:30am..... For Rick Lopez

Jan. 19
8:30am.....In memory of Alfredo Eduardo

To request a special Mass intention for Emmaus Catholic Parish or Queen of Angels Chapel, contact the parish office, (512) 261-8500.

WEEKLY REFLECTION



January 14

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them, ‘What are you looking for?’” - John 1:38

What are you looking for? Are you wasting your time looking for the material comforts of the world? Or, is your heart longing for something deeper that can only be found by spending time with God? Take time, each day, in silence and ask the Lord what it is that He wants you to do.

PARISH SUPPORT

Weekly Stewardship Report

January 7, 2018\$56,583
Fiscal YTD Offertory\$1,164,143

We want to thank everyone for their generosity during this Christmas season!

Fiscal YTD Offertory [July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017].....\$2,081,834

2017-18 FYTD SEED Gift Card Program:\$17,366
profit

Parish Life Center Loan Balance:.....\$1,139,636
Church Loan Balance:.....\$3,808,334

Mortgage payments (principal/interest) on above loans: \$44,152.00/month



Second Collections at Emmaus

First Sunday of the month: Benevolence
Fourth Sunday of the month: Parish Life Center

Next Special Collections:

Catholic Higher Education, February 11, 2018
World & Home Missions, February 14, 2018 Ash Wednesday

eGiving = Secure Automatic Giving

eGiving provides an opportunity to simplify your stewardship donations through secure automatic giving. Choose the amount and the frequency of your donations. You may enroll online or download a form from the parish website, or contact the parish office for assistance.



Scan to Give

Did you know that you can make your regular offertory donation using your smart phone? Just use any QR Code reader to scan this code and complete your donation.



Greeter Ministry

Smiling Faces Needed!

For our visitors and parishioners alike, being greeted with a smile and welcoming message as you come to Mass can be the beginning of a wonderful liturgical experience. We want to offer this experience at all the weekend Masses and would love to have your help to accomplish this. We will have a short Greeter Training meeting on Tuesday, January 30, 6PM to 7PM in Room 206 of the Parish Life Center. Please consider joining this ministry and be part of helping everyone feel welcome. ***This is a ministry the whole family can embrace!***

HAPPENINGS AT EMMAUS

Changes may occur! Please refer to the Parish Website for the most current calendar listings.

SUNDAY, January 14 – 2nd Sunday is Ordinary Time

8:00 AM	Coffee & Donuts by Respect Life Ministry	Narthex
8:15 AM	Nursery for Mass	Nursery
9:45 AM	Welcome & Registration Event	Great Hall
1:45 PM	Baptism: Bielik and Kloszewski Children	Baptistery
4:30 PM	Eat-Pray-Love Fellowship Meal	Great Hall
5:00 PM	Junta Ejecutive MFCC	Pastoral B1

MONDAY, January 15 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday

5:30 AM	Jazzercise 5:30 AM	Café & Youth Space
8:00 AM	Jazzercise 8:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise 9:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
10:00 AM	Bright Horizons	Great Hall
12:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Pastoral B1
4:15 PM	Jazzercise 4:15 PM	Café & Youth Space
5:15 PM	Jazzercise 5:15 PM	Café & Youth Space
7:00 PM	Grupo de Oracion Planeacion	Rm. 204
7:00 PM	Men's CRHP Meeting	Pastoral B

TUESDAY, January 16

7:00 AM	Jazzercise 7:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
8:00 AM	Jazzercise 8:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise 9:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	ECEP Classes	PLC
10:00 AM	Citizenship Class by LTLibrary	Rm. 206
12:00 PM	Al-Anon	Pastoral B1,B3,B4
4:15 PM	Jazzercise 4:15 PM	Café & Youth Space
5:15 PM	Jazzercise 5:15 PM	Café & Youth Space
7:00 PM	Knights of Columbus General Meeting	Rm. 205

WEDNESDAY, January 17 – St. Anthony, Abbot

5:30 AM	Jazzercise 5:30 AM	Café & Youth Space
8:00 AM	Jazzercise 8:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise 9:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	ECEP Classes	PLC
12:00 PM	Staff Training	Multi B/C
1:00 PM	Parish Nursing Ministry Meeting	Café
4:45 PM	Confessions	Narthex
5:00 PM	Liturgy of the Hours	Church
5:30 PM	Finance Council Meeting	Pastoral A1-Library
7:00 PM	ESL Classes	Rooms 201-206
7:00 PM	Women's Welcome Renewal Meeting	Pastoral B1
7:00 PM	QOA Choir Rehearsal	QOA Chapel

THURSDAY, January 18

8:00 AM	Men's Scripture Study	QOA Chapel
7:00 AM	Jazzercise 7:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
8:00 AM	Jazzercise 8:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise 9:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	ECEP Classes	PLC
10:00 AM	Game Day	QOA Chapel
10:15 AM	Over Eaters Anonymous	Rm. 205
11:00 AM	Gala Committee Meeting	Lounge
12:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Pastoral B1
4:15 PM	Jazzercise 4:15 PM	Café & Youth Space
5:15 PM	Jazzercise 5:15 PM	Café & Youth Space
6:45 PM	Nursery For RCIA	Nursery
7:00 PM	RCIA (Catechumenate)	Multi B/C
7:00 PM	Grupo de Oracion	Youth Space

FRIDAY, January 19

5:30 AM	Jazzercise 5:30 AM	Café & Youth Space
6:00 AM	Men of Emmaus	Great Hall
8:00 AM	Jazzercise 8:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Jazzercise 9:00 AM	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	ECEP Classes	PLC
12:00 PM	Alcoholics Anonymous	Pastoral B1
6:30 PM	Bingo with the Knights of Columbus	Great Hall

SATURDAY, January 20 - St. Fabian, St. Sebastian, Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 AM	Jazzercise Strength	Café & Youth Space
8:30 AM	Jazzercise Saturday	Café & Youth Space
9:00 AM	Quinceanera: Lopez, Fabiola	Great Hall & Kitchen
1:00 PM	Quinceanera Rehearsal: Lopez, Fabiola	Church
2:00 PM	Quinceanera: Fabiola Lopez Orocio	Church
4:00 PM	Confession	Church

PRAYERS FOR THE LIVING

Kate & Mitchell Mikula, Buzz Van Meter, Kim Hartman, Diane Hernandez, Cappello Family, Wayne Jordan, Janet Zapata, Jim & Louise Moore, Patti Mayberry, Joel Rivera, Patrick McGee, Claret Pinto, Philomena Rowlands, Martha Scallon, Alexander Stein

Adult Faith Formation Classes begin the week of January 28! Registration is open on the parish website: www.EmmausParish.org/AdultFaith

Classes and Studies:

- Oremus – A Catholic Guide for Prayer, Reininvigorate Your Prayer
LifeDiscernment of Spirits – An Ignatian Guide for Everyday Living
- Momnipotent – Finding Peace, Balance & Joy in Your Vocation as a Mother
- Follow Me – Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John
- Lectio – Unveiling Scripture and Tradition
- Beloved – Finding Happiness in Marriage – for couples
- Matthew – The King & His Kingdom (*Begins again on January 8*)
- Financial Peace University

Date Night – Dinner Conference for couples:

- Saturday February 10,
topic is *Five Love Languages*,
the evening includes
a live band & dancing!
- Saturday April 21

Spring Retreats:

- Welcome Retreat for Men - March 3 & 4
- Welcome Retreat for Women - April 28 & 29



HAPPENINGS AT EMMAUS

We have installed a Giving Kiosk in the Narthex of the church – look for the sign above the doors on the west side. You can give to Emmaus and to our capital campaign at this Kiosk with your credit or debit card. Please stop-by and try it out!

If you no longer use the offertory envelopes that are mailed to your home, please call the Parish Office to cancel them and save the parish some money. Thank you.

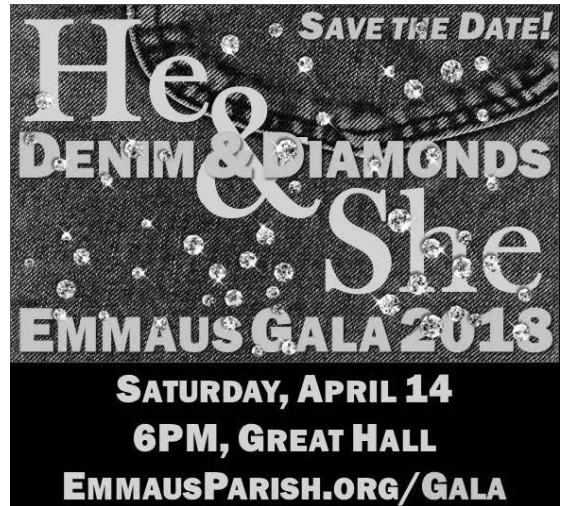
Quick Notices:

- Family Masses, 10:30 AM and 12:15 PM on Sunday, January 21.
- All Faith Formation, preschool through high school, resumes next weekend, Sunday, January 21, 2018.
- The Parish Office will be closed Wednesday, February 14 for Ash Wednesday. Urgent issues can be addressed by calling the priest's residence.

Preparation Classes for U.S. Citizenship: This class is intended for students with basic English language skills in reading, writing, and speaking. Classes are taught in English. Students will learn topics related to the 100 civics questions they could be asked during the citizenship exam. The topics are presented in 10 study units organized around U.S. Geography, U.S. History, and U.S. Government. Students will read for understanding, write in English from spoken English dictation, and speak in English. Mondays 7:00 – 9:00 PM, beginning January 22, 2018 for 10 weeks in Rm. 203 at Emmaus. Classes are free of charge. TO ENROLL: Call Lake Travis Community Library at 512-263-2885.



Friday, January 19 in the Great Hall - 6:30 PM
 Fantastic Family Event - Open to All Ages!
EmmausParish.org/Bingo



Emmaus Families Love Life! The Texas Rally for Life will be held on Saturday, January 27, 2018 from 1:00 – 3:00 PM in downtown Austin. This event, like the March

for Life in Washington D.C. and many others across our beautiful country, commemorates the 45th anniversary of Roe vs. Wade, the Supreme Court decision which legalized abortion throughout all nine months of pregnancy. Please join Emmaus in attending The Texas Rally for Life at the corner of Congress and 18th Street at 12:30 PM on January 27, 2018. Parking is available at 17th & Lavaca and more details can be found on the Emmaus website and <https://www.texasallianceforlife.org/texas-rally-for-life>. May God bless us all with wisdom and courage to walk, pray and praise Him for all life including our own,

~Yvonne Howington



APPRECIATION
 EVENT
 THURSDAY,
 FEBRUARY 8,
 5:00 – 6:30 PM
 IN THE GREAT HALL

FOR ALL THOSE THAT
 VOLUNTEER AND SERVE
 OTHERS AT EMMAUS

PLEASE RSVP BY FEB. 2
 TO THE PARISH OFFICE
 512-261-8500

A graphic with a large cross and the text 'Emmas Volunteers Are Everything to Us!'.

Appreciation Event for all those that volunteer and serve others at Emmaus! Thursday, February 8, from 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM in the Great Hall. Please RSVP by February 2 to the Parish Office, 512-261-8500. Emmaus volunteers are everything to us!

Lenten Retreat: Discipleship and the Art of Hanging

“Missionary discipleship” is a term made familiar by Pope Francis’ apostolic exhortation *EVANGELII GAUDIUM* (*The Joy of the Gospel*). But what does it mean for the “person in the pew?” This one-day retreat—designed to help you enter more fully into the Lenten season—will look at the practical implications of missionary discipleship against the backdrop of Jesus’ crucifixion as described in the Gospels.

Sharon K. Perkins, diocesan Director of the Secretariat for Formation and Spirituality, is former Director of Adult Faith Formation at Emmaus and an adjunct faculty member of the University of Dallas, School of Ministry. She has taught theology and spirituality courses, led retreats in four dioceses, and written numerous articles for the Catholic Press for over thirty years.

All are welcome to this retreat on Wednesday, February 14. Retreat begins at 8:30 AM with Mass and ashes in the Church, followed by a light breakfast in the Great Hall. We will also provide a light lunch.



AROUND THE DIOCESE

Men's Conference is February 17: "No Man Left Behind," the sixth annual Catholic men's conference, will be held Feb. 17 from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM at St. William Parish in Round Rock. Speakers include Tom Peterson, founder of VirtueMedia and CatholicComeHome.org, and John Pridmore, an ex-London gangster who is now Christian. Premium tickets, which include a private lunch with the speakers, are \$100 each. Regular tickets are \$45 in advance. Register at centexcatholic.com.



6TH ANNUAL CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

MARRIED COUPLES: Worn out from the Holidays? Are you looking for a way to avoid the January blahs? How about a special weekend, just for the 2 of you? Register for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend today! An upcoming weekend is scheduled for February 16-18 at Cedarbrake Renewal Center. To apply online visit: austinme.org or contact Michael and Shani Cowart: 512-677-WWME (9963) or email wwmeaustin@gmail.com. Call early to ensure a space. Para información en español llamar al 512-844-0785.

Laissez les bons temps rouler! All are invited to a Mardi Gras Gala hosted by Annunciation Austin on Saturday, February 10. Join us for a fun evening at the St. Thomas More Parish Activity Center. The event includes dinner, wine, entertainment, door prizes and silent auction. Tickets are \$50 or \$90 per couple. For tickets or more info, email gala@annunciationaustin.org.

A program on "The Heart of a Child Survivor of Sexual Trafficking" will be presented on Saturday, January 20, 2018, 9:00 AM – 12:30 PM at the Lakeway Church, 2203 Lakeway Blvd. There will be a Panel Discussion followed by Break-Out Sessions. Presenters: Steven Phenix, Public Relations and Communication Director for The Refuge for Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking; Toni McKinley, LPC Director of Therapeutic Services and Survivor Leader for The Refuge; Kyle Miller, LPC & LMFT, Founder and Director of Global Care & Response; Nicole Cloutier, Paralegal/Victims Advocate for the Human Trafficking Unit of the Texas Attorney General's Office, and Mary Proctor, Detective, Lakeway Police Department. Reservations required for a Complementary Continental Breakfast at 9:00 AM. (Church Office at 512.261.6331, or online at www.lakewaychurch.org). No charge for this event, but gift cards of any denomination (Kohls, Target, Marshalls, Ross, T J Max), to be used for clothing/incidentals for the girls at The Refuge will be appreciated.

We thank our Bulletin Sponsor:

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2127 Lohman's Crossing

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Support your parish and advertise at the same time: the parish bulletin goes home to 800 households every week! Contact Thomas Miner at 512-452-3413 if you are interested in advertising in this bulletin.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC? For adults interested in learning more about becoming Catholic through RCIA, visit the parish website or call the parish office.

NEW TO THE PARISH? Email newcomer@emmausparish.org or call the parish office to register to attend a Welcome & Registration Event. Next Welcome Event is Sunday, November 12, 2017, at 9:45am in Great Hall.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION - To learn more about Sacramental preparation for Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist, Confirmation, or Marriage, visit the parish website or call the parish office.

THE ROSARY is prayed at 9:00 AM, Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at Emmaus, 8:30 AM on Wednesdays at Emmaus, 4:20 PM on Saturdays at Emmaus, and at 9:15 AM on Sundays at Queen of Angels.

THE ADORATION CHAPEL IS OPEN 24 HOURS / 7 DAYS A WEEK. YOU MAY VISIT AT ANY TIME. THE BLESSED SACRAMENT IS EXPOSED FROM 5 AM TO 10 PM. TO SIGN UP FOR AVAILABLE HOURS, VISIT emmausparish.org/adoration. NEW ADORERS ARE MOST WELCOME.

PARISH OFFICE: (512) 261-8500; Monday-Friday, 9 AM–4 PM

NURSERY: The Nursery is available at Emmaus for the Sunday 8:30 AM, and 10:30 AM, except on holiday weekends. The nursery may be available for other designated parish events if advertised and a minimum number of children are registered. For such designated events, you must specifically request childcare by calling the parish office at least 72 hours in advance.

ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES are available for your use during Mass. Pick one up in the sacristy.

ALTAR FLOWERS/MASS DEDICATIONS: To order altar flowers or to dedicate Masses at Emmaus or Queen of Angels, please call the parish office. To request more than one Mass Intention, please stop by the office in person.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Fridays (10 days in advance), 12 noon, communications@emmausparish.org

MASS ANNOUNCEMENTS: Thursdays, 12 noon, communications@emmausparish.org

LOST AND FOUND at Emmaus is located on the ledge at the left hand side of the narthex (near the SEED table). Any valuable items are taken to the parish office.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES: If you know someone who is struggling and could use our support, or would like to receive Holy Communion in their home, please call the parish office. A complete listing of Social Outreach offerings is available on the website.

EMMAUS' RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY is committed to the preservation of human life and the human spirit through education on Respect Life issues and programs. As part of Respect Life, the Gabriel Project assists with Crisis Pregnancies, and Project Rachel provides hope and healing after abortion. Further information is available on the website or by contacting the parish office.

TO MEET WITH A PRIEST, to request Anointing or a visit for an ill loved one, or to arrange a blessing of a pregnancy or your home, please call the parish office.

TO REQUEST EUCHARIST for the facility- or homebound, please call the parish office. We ask that you allow 48 hours for arrangements to be made.

LADIES OF CHARITY: (512) 791-5750

LAKE TRAVIS CRISIS MINISTRIES: (512) 266-9810

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: (512) 576-1744

PREGNANT? Need Help? Gabriel Project: 1-877-932-2732

14 de enero de 2018 - Segundo domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"Jesús se volvió y vio que lo seguían y les dijo: <<¿Qué están buscando?>>" - JUAN 1:38

¿Qué estás buscando? ¿Pierdes el tiempo buscando las comodidades materiales del mundo? O es tu corazón que anhela algo más profundo que solo se puede encontrar al pasar tiempo con Dios? Toma un tiempo, todos los días, en silencio, y pregúntele al Señor qué es lo que Él quiere que hagas.

Muchas gracias

Queremos dar un agradecimiento especial a todas las personas en la comunidad hispana que participaron de alguna forma en todas y cada una de las festividades del mes de diciembre, desde el día de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, los matachines, los músicos y cantores de las mañanitas, el coro y los ministros y servidores en la misa. También a todos los anfitriones de cada una de las 9 posadas, y las personas que ayudaron a organizarlas y estuvieron presentes sin importar el mal tiempo. A los niños y adultos que participaron en la pastorela de la noche de navidad, y a toda la comunidad que ha estado presente en los diversos eventos y ministerios de nuestra Iglesia. Muchas gracias.

Formación en la Fe para Adultos y Vida Familiar – Primavera 2018

- Crecimientos I, II y III, Martes a las 7:45 PM, Del 30 de enero – 5 de junio.
- Retiro de Evangelización Vida Nueva: En Encuentro con Jesús, Del 27 al 28 de enero
- Historia de la Salvación de la Creación a la Parusía, Del 9-10 de marzo
- Juan: Formando Discípulos-Misioneros, De 5-7 de mayo
- Cena-Conferencia para Matrimonios, sábado 10 de febrero and sábado 21 de abril

Por favor, vaya al sitio web de la parroquia para obtener más información y para registrarse:
www.EmmausParish.org/AdultFaith

INSTRUCCIÓN DE CIUDADANÍA CON ASISTENCIA DE ESL

¿Quiere saber si esta clase es para usted?

- Si puede hablar, leer y escribir algo en inglés
- Si quiere aprender sobre cómo hacerse ciudadano de los Estados Unidos
- Si puede asistir a una clase por dos horas a la semana

¡Entonces, acompáñenos cada martes de 10am a 12 pm a partir del 16 enero 2018!

Salón 206 en Emaús. Para inscribirse, por favor llame a Lake Travis Community Library, 512-263-2885

Evento de Agradecimiento ~ Hora de coctel

Jueves 8 de febrero, 5:00 a 6:30 PM, en el gran salón. Invitamos a todos los voluntarios e individuos que donan su servicio al prójimo en la parroquia de Emaús. Favor de llamar a la oficina para confirmar su asistencia antes del viernes 2 de febrero, al 512-261-8500



¡Las familias de Emaús amamos la vida! Celebremos la vida unidos como familia parroquial de Emaús en esta caminata de 1 milla en la Marcha por la Vida Texas 2018, el sábado 27 de enero de 2018 a las 12:30 del mediodía. Nos reuniremos en la esquina de Congress y 18th Street. Caminaremos de ahí al Capitolio del Estado, acompañados por miles de familias. Este pacífico evento incluye a niños, adolescentes, estudiantes universitarios y mucha más gente de todo el estado. Ponte zapatos cómodos para caminar, lleva la carriola del bebé y acompáñanos desde las 12:30 hasta las 3:00 p.m. (favor de no llevar mascotas) Para saber más, visita Texas Rally for Life o llama a Yvonne Howington al 512-992-9007.

Vida Nueva: Un Encuentro con Jesús:

En Emaús – Gran Salón (Great Hall)
Facilitador: Comunidad San Pablo
Del 27 al 28 de enero
Donación: Gratuito
Pare registrarse:
www.EmmausParish.org/AdultFaith



Hemos instalado un módulo electrónico para donativos en el nártex de la iglesia, vean el letrero sobre las puertas al poniente. Pueden hacer sus donativos a Emaús y a la campaña capital en este módulo, con una tarjeta de crédito o débito.

Si ya no desean utilizar los sobres para el ofertorio que se envían por correo a sus hogares, por favor llamen a la oficina para cancelarlos y ayudarnos a ahorrar.

Ministerios de Servicio Social: Contamos con varios ministerios y grupos de servicio para la comunidad, desde ayuda para mujeres embarazadas, o madres de bebés recién nacidos, referencias a servicios médicos, legales, benevolencia, justicia social, Respeto a la Vida, etc. Trabajamos con diversas organizaciones para dar al que lo necesita. Una lista completa de ministerios y servicios está en nuestra página web <http://www.emmauslakeway.com/social-outreach>. Si requiere ayuda o desea más información, llame a la oficina parroquial, o envíe un email a paloma.rodriguez@emmausparish.org

OFICINA PARROQUIAL: (512) 261-8500; De lunes a viernes de 9:00 AM a 4:00 PM **PARA HABLAR CON UN SACERDOTE**, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial.

PARA SOLICITAR LA EUCARISTÍA para personas que se están confinadas en su casa u hospitalizadas, por favor llame a la oficina parroquial. Le pedimos que espere 48 horas para que se hagan los arreglos.

NOTICIAS DE ÚLTIMA HORA EN ESPAÑOL DE EMAÚS ¿SABÍA USTED QUE PUEDE VER LA PÁGINA WEB DE EMAÚS EN ESPAÑOL? VISITE EMMAUSPARISH.ORG. EN LA PARTE INFERIOR DE CADA PÁGINA HAY UN ENLACE PARA VER LA PÁGINA EN ESPAÑOL.

¿EMBARAZADA? ¿NECESITAS AYUDA? PROYECTO GABRIEL: 1-877-932-2732